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REPORT FOR WORKING GROUP 10.02

REF: STATE 167651

1. ON AUGUST 3 THERENT'YEV GAVE EMBOFF A LETTER FROM SOVIET
COCHAIRMAN OF WORKING GROUP 10.02, L.D. SOLODENNIKOV, TO US
COCHAIRMAN, AND A SOVIET DRAFT REPORT ON ACTIVITIES OF THE WG.
EMB IS SENDING INFORMAL TRANSLATION AND SUMMARY OF THESE
DOCUMENTS TELEGRAPHICALLY SO HUD WILL HAVE THEM BEFORE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT MEETING AUGUST 9. ORIGINALS POUCHED
TO DEPT. (REGISTRY NUMBER 3584870).

2. DEAR MR. COCHAIRMAN
THE SOVIET SIDE HAS CONSIDERED YOUR DRAFT REPORT IN DETAIL
AND IN ORDER THAT THE REPORT MAY INCLUDE JOINT EVALUATIONS
OF THE WG ACTIVITIES I WOULD LIKE TO SEND YOU SOME CHANGES
AND ADDITIONS.
I SURVEY SECTION
ONE CAN AGREE WITH YOUR STATEMENT THAT THERE WAS A DELAY IN THE
EXCHANGE OF SOVIET AND AMERICAN GROUPS OF EXPERTS. THIS IDEA
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COULD BE EXPRESSED IN THE FOLLOWING FASHION, "HOWEVER, AT THE
OPENING STAGE OF COOPERATION FOR A SERIES OF OBJECTIVE REASONSE
THE EXCHANGE OF EXPERTS BY AGREEMENT CVZH THE SOVIET AND THE
AMERICAN SIDE WAS PUT OFF UNTIL 1977, AND THE INITIAL EXCHANGE
OF GROUPS OF EXPERTS WAS ACCOMPLISHED IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF
1977 AND NOT IN THE THIRD QUARTER OF 1976, AS WAS NOTED IN THE
PROGRAM CONFIRMED AT THE FIRST SESSION OF THE WG." THE SOVIET

SIDE PREPARED AND GAVE TO THE AMERICAN SIDE FOR ITS CONSIDERATION DRAFT COOPERATIVE PROJECTS IN ALL THE AREAS AGREED UPON DURING THE FIRST WG MEETING. THESE WERE DISCUSSED DURING JOINT MEETINGS OF GROUPS OF EXPERTS, AND THE AMERICAN SIDE WAS OBLIGED TO PREPARE A LIST OF IFRMS AND ORGANIZATIONS PARTICIPATING IN THE COOPERATION, AND METHODS AND DATES FOR FULFILLING THE WORK NOTED IN THE PROGRAM.

PROPOSALS

I AGREE WITH YOUR PROPOSAL TO EXCLUDE PROJECT 1.2 "METHODS OF REHABILITATION OF RESIDENTIAL AND INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS". WE ALSO HAVE NOTHING AGAINST YOUR PROPOSAL TO COMBINE PROJECTS 2.2.1 "SEWER SYSTEMS OF SMALL AN MEDIUM-SIZED CITIES"

AND 2.2.2 "PNEUMATIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS FOR COLLECTION OF WASTE" INTO PROJECT 2.2 "UTILITY SYSTEMS FOR SETTLED AREAS."

I AGREE TO UNITE PROJECT 1.1.1 AND 1.1.2 INTO A WIDER PROJECT 1.1."CONSTRUCTION SYSTEMS FOR THE ERECTION OF RESIDENTIAL, PUBLIC, AND INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS," HOWEVER IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO RAISE THE NUMBER OF EXPERTS FROM 6 TO 8 SO THAT THE UNIFICATION WOULD NOT REDUCE THE QUANTITY OF WORK.

THE SOVIET SIDE CONSIDERS IT USEFUL TO RETAIN THE PROJECT 1.3 "DESIGNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF LARGE RESERVOIRS, SMOKESTACKS, COOLING TOWERS, AND SILOS OF METALS AND CONCRETE," ESPECIALLY BECAUSE OF ITS GENERAL IMPORTANCE IN URBAN CONSTRUCTION AND ITS IMPORTANCE IN PREVENTING AIR POLLUTION. WE ALSO THINK IT USEFUL TO RETAIN WITHIN THE PROJECT "SECURITY ENGINEERING" (INZHENERNOE OBESPECHENIY) PROJECT 2.1 UNCLASSIFIED

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"INTERNAL SYSTEMS FOR UTILITIES AND ENERGY CONSERVATION IN RESIDENTIAL, PUBLIC, AND COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS" AND PROJECT 2.2 "UTILITY SYSTEMS FOR POPULATED AREAS." COOPERATION IN THESE AREAS WAS APPROVED BY BOTH SIDES, AND THESE PROJECTS EACH HAVE IMPORTANT TECHNICAL MEANING. SINCERELY, L.D. SOLODENNIKOV.

3. THE SOVIET DRAFT REPORT ON WG 10.02 MERELY RESTATES AND EXPANDS ON THE SOLODENNIKOV COVER LETTER CONTAINED IN PARA 2 ABOVE. THE REPORT CLOSES WITH THE STATEMENT THAT THE MEETINGS OF THE SOVIET AND AMERICAN SPECIALISTIS HVE LAID A FAVORABLE BASIS FOR FURTHER COOPERATION. SOVIETS EXPRESS HOPE THAT COOPERATION WILL CONTINUE ON A MUTUALLY PROFITABLE BASIS TO THE GOOD OF BOTH COUNTRIES.

4. DEPT PLEASE ENSURE THAT HANCOCK OF HUD RECEIVES THIS TELEGRAM BEFORE AUGUST 9 EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT MEETING. TOON

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